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HYBRIDIZATION AT
MICROELECTRODES
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Dear Sir:

With respect to the examination of the above-referenced application, applicants submit the following documents, copies of which are enclosed. These documents are also listed on an accompanying Form PTO-1449.

PUBLISHED U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Publication No.</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
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OTHER DOCUMENT

W. Cai, et al., Abstract for AVS 49th International Symposium, available on the worldwide web at www.avssymposium.org at least as early as 10/26/2002.

REMARKS

The published patent application relates to high frequency interfacing to biological membranes.

The above-referenced document by Cai, et al. is a printout from the web site at www.avssymposium.org on October 26, 2002 of an abstract prepared by the inventors on the present application for the AVS 49th International Symposium for a presentation on November 7, 2002. The date of the abstract is more than one year prior to the October 27, 2003 filing date of the above-referenced application, and less than one year from the November 1, 2002 filing date of provisional application No. 60/422,907, from which the present application claims priority.

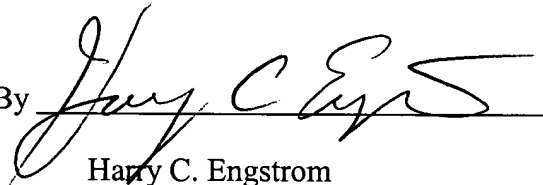
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Respectfully submitted,

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